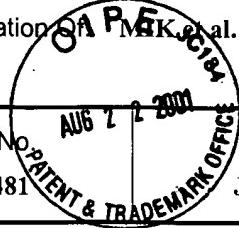


**COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entity)**

Docket No.

98-017

In Re Application of ~~A.P.E.~~ M.K. et al.



Serial No
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Invention: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROCESSING A CHARGE APPLIED TO A FINANCIAL ACCOUNT

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The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

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INDEP. CLAIMS	14 -	30 =	0	x \$80.00	\$0.00
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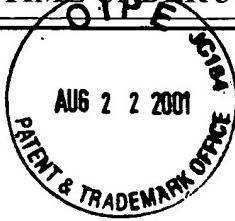
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